BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Examine the Commission's Future Energy Efficiency Policies, Administration and Programs.

Rulemaking 01-08-028 (Filed August 23, 2001)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO QUANTUM CONSULTING, INC.

This ruling addresses the motion of Quantum Consulting, Inc. (Quantum) for an extension of time to complete its California Wastewater Process

Optimization Program (Program).

Quantum filed a motion on October 7, 2004, seeking an extension of time for its Program to the end of December, 2004. Quantum explains that the program has been successful but that delays in signing contracts with utilities shortened the implementation time provided to Proctor for completing project tasks from 24 months to 18 months. Energy Division staff concurs that the request is reasonable under the circumstances.

This ruling grants the motion of Quantum to extend the date for completion of its program to December 31, 2004. Its final reports shall be due no later than December 31, 2004, consistent with its request. Nothing in this ruling should be construed as making any finding regarding the contract administration practices of any utility.

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IT IS RULED that the motion of Quantum Consulting, Inc., dated October 7, 2004, for an extension of time to implement its California Wastewater Optimization Program in Pacific Gas and Electric Company's territory and Southern California Edison Company's territory to December 31, 2004, is granted.

Dated December 28, 2004, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KIM MALCOLM
Kim Malcolm
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by electronic mail to the parties to which an electronic mail address has been provided, this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Granting Extension of Time to Quantum Consulting, Inc. on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated December 28, 2004, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ FANNIE SID
Fannie Sid

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